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Title: **METHODS OF EXCHANGING SECURE MESSAGES**

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- ☒ 32 pages of specification;  
☒ 3 pages of claims;  
☒ 1 page of abstract;  
☒ 16 Sheets of drawings, Formal \_\_, Informal ☒  
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